

EAST KINTYRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting held in Carradale Village Hall
14TH June 2018

MINUTES

Present:

Ian Brodie (IB) (Treasurer), Eleanor Sloan (ES) (Secretary), Robert Strang (RS), Ronnie Brownie (RB), Tommy McPherson (TM), Trish Collins (TC)

In attendance –

19 Members of the public

PC Harper

Robin Currie (RC)

1. Welcome

At 7pm –Ian Brodie opened the meeting and welcomed the attendees to the first meeting of the newly formed EKCC.

2. Apologies

Apologies from Elaine Batchelor

3. Minutes of last meeting – 04/04/18

Minutes were proposed by Ronnie Brownie seconded by Robert Strang.

4. Treasurers report

Stuart Irvine has been invited to be the Treasurer for EKCC – he gave his first report – Total in East Kintyre CC bank account was £1466.00 as of 14/06/18

5. Proposal of co-opted members – Trish Collins

Trish Collins was proposed as a co-opted member – all agreed with the proposal – Trish will now remain as a co-opted member for 2 years until the next mid- term elections – when she will be given the opportunity to join the Council as a full member.

6. Planning

No planning

7. Footpaths and new path

Ian reported that there will be bins placed at each end of the new footpath and a bollard in the middle of the path entrance.

8. Play park update

Emma Macalister Hall told us that the resurfacing on the play park will be undertaken soon and they are hoping the play park will be open in time for the summer holidays.

9. Saddell Signage

Tommy updated us on the signage at Saddell. Signs that are needing replaced.

- Cemetery and Abbey
- Residents area – street signs
- Community playpark

ACHA – are going to replace the street signage – and playpark signage

ABC will not allow signs about the playpark on the main road.

Paul Martin ABC – is looking at the signs regarding the Abbey and Cemetery.

10. Water problem at harbour

No updates.

11. Brackley Cemetery

Meeting arranged for July

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12. Road signage

No update – ES to chase up

13. Pot holes

The B842 has received extensive upgrading, however there are some potholes emerging at the Fisherman's gate – this has been reported to ABC.

14. Beach Clean

The beach clean was cancelled – but ES reminded people that EKCC (ES) has some litter pickers that could be used for a beach clean and that all local groups are welcome to use them to organise a beach clean – possibly enabling them to get a grant from the GRAB trust.

15. AOCB

- RS reported that that bin at the harbour was full of rubbish and perhaps there should be another bin there – RC to approach ABC
- Streetlight at Port Righ – there has been no outcome from ABC – EKCC again said that they are not prepared to take a side on this issue and ask all residents to speak to ABC.
- Closing of Patersons Bakery – Jenn Lee has been tasked with calling a public meeting to find a way forward with this – all local organisations and groups are supportive of this. If anyone wants to be involved – please get in touch with Jenn.
- Website – David Prag – said that he needs people to send local information to him to put on the website – and he needs to receive all minutes and agendas. Trish Collins agreed to send him some local information – David agreed to carry on with the website for another few months. TC to send info to David
- ES showed us a letter from Jane Cowan – regarding a new Sustrans map – that is advising that the B842 would be a good route for motorcyclists. Trish said that there should be signage on the road to this affect. Trish agreed to look into this more.

16. Date of next meeting

7pm – 05/07/2018

Ian closed the meeting at 7.40pm and thanked everyone for attending.

A meeting of the East Kintyre Windfarm Trust followed...